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1. This communication is in response to the telephone conversation held between the applicant's representative and the examiner held on 10/10/2007.
2. As per the telephone conversation, a reference listed on applicant's 1449 form was inadvertently not marked as reviewed by the examiner. Attached hereto is an updated 1449 form showing that all references submitted by the applicant in the 1449 form filed on 1/6/2006, were indeed reviewed and considered by the examiner on 3/1/2007.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Gregory A. DiStefano whose telephone number is (571)270-1644. The examiner can normally be reached on 7:30am-5:00pm Mon.-Thurs.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Doug Hutton can be reached on (571)272-4137. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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